to go into the working of the Institute. The reorganisation of the Institute is now under the consideration of the Government of India.

SUBJECT No. 52.

Investment of additional powers to the Education Board.

Mr. M. Venkatakrishnaiya, Mysore University.

Mr. M. Venkatakrishnaiya.—Wisdom consists in the multitude. I think it is better to invest the Vice-Chancellor with the power of scrutinising the curricula and other matters pertaining to the Education Department before final orders are passed as the Vice-Chancellor is the Chairman of the Education Board. Important circulars that are passed from the Education Department should first get the approval of the Education Board.

Dewan.—According to the existing practice all important circulars are generally sent to the Education Board for their opinion. Important circulars of policy cannot be issued by the Inspector-General of Education without the sanction of Government.

SUBJECT No. 53

Sociology to be a subject for the B. A. Examination.

Mr. M. Venkatakrishnaiya, Mysore University.

Mr. M. Venkatakrishnaiya.—Sociology and Civics may also be introduced for the B. A. Examination in the Mysore University, in order that division and caste hatred may be done away with and brotherly feeling encouraged among the people of the State.

Dewan.—The matter will be referred to the Board of Studies of the Mysore University.

Mr. R. Gopalaswami Iyer.—In the Philosophy course, applied Psychology and Sociology may also be included in the B. A. course, as is done in the Harvard University. In order that students may be trained in Civics and Social Science, it is my request that these subjects may be included with History and Philosophy.

Dewan.—The matter will be referred to the Board of Studies and we shall await their recommendations.

SUBJECT No. 54.

Abolition of fees in Commercial schools.

Messrs. N. Setwaji Rao and Madappa, Mysore City Municipality.

Mr. N. Setwaji Rao.—School fees in Commercial schools where Maharashtra language is being taught may be abolished. After all there is not much profit to Government.

Second Member of Council.—It is for that reason that the Finance Committee have recommended the abolition of the Commercial schools.

Mr. Setwaji Rao.—In case it is proposed to abolish Commercial schools, Maharashtra may be made one of the optional subjects in the educational curricula.

Second Member of Council.—You may make a representation to the Inspector-General of Education.

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SUBJECT No. 55.

Uniform weights and measures throughout the State.

Mr. C. Narasaraiya, Nelamangala Taluk.

Mr. E. Krishnappa.—For want of a uniform standard of weights and measures, people are generally duped by the merchants who, as a matter of course, use all kinds of weights and measures.

Mr. Thimmappaiya.—The use of weights and measures is not uniform, and it would serve the purpose if the Government could issue an order fixing some uniform standard. Some petty merchants use stones or metal in lieu of weights.